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Previous References
ml 79-41-16/39, 40

1943 Municipal ml File No. 99-43
Serial Nos 199, 200

Later References

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos 2

Part B for June 1943

SUBJECT

Re Continuance of grant subscription of Rs 30,000/- annually towards water supply charges in Bijapur

The Municipal Commr Bijapur

Lr no 12626 dated 21 6-43.

Proposal rejected

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OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR L S G & P H
Date
No

Letter No. A1 598 dt 6-5-44 from the ml Comm. Paliyar, forwarding for orders of Govt a copy of the resolution of the ml cl dt 24-3-44 requesting that the orders of Govt declining to grant a subvention of Rs 30,000/- annually to the Paliyar ml cl, towards water supply charges may be reconsidered.

This question was considered in detail in ml file 79-41 (16,394) Part WP and orders refusing to grant the subvention was passed

Submit for orders whether the Chief Engineer for Irrigation may be consulted in the matter

1575 The question has been considered in detail on previous occasions as is clear from the notes in the reference file ml 79-41-16 3 pts noted below. There do not seem to be any fresh grounds for reopening the subject now

Lawley 16/5/44

No case has been made out for reconsideration

Mr B 2 Sg

Submitted for orders

Sd 22/5/44

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OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR L S G & P H
Date 22/5/44
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To the Hon'ble Commr. Divn. Two Bench
No. 12626 dt. 21-6-44.
Sirs, Kindly refer to our reason
to reconsider the order already
passed in the matter.

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BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY

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No A1-598/40

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MUNICIPAL OFFICES

Bangalore 6th May 1944

Ml 99-43-199

FROM

P SURYANARAYANA SETTI, ESQ, BA, LL B
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER
Bangalore City

SECRETARIAT
10 MAY 1944
L S G BRANCH

To

C. Narayanaswamy Naidu, Esq, B A, B L,
Legal Remembrancer and
Secretary to Government,
Law Department,
Bangalore

SIR

Regarding the discontinuance of the Government Subvension of Rs 30,000/- annually to the Bangalore City Municipality towards water Supply Charges

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I have the honour to state that your letter No L 7126/M1 79-41-40 dated 20-1-1943, on the above subject was placed before the Municipal Council At their meeting held on 6-3-1943, the Municipal Council referred the subject to a Select Committee with a request to place their opinion in the matter before the Council early

2 As desired by the Select Committee Chairman, a note was placed by the office before the Select Committee, furnishing the figures relating to the receipts and expenditure towards water supply charges for the years 1941-42 and 1942-43 The Select Committee approved of the office note on 8th November 1943 The opinion of the Select Committee having been placed before the Municipal Council, they have resolved on 24-3-1944, that the Government might be requested to reconsider their order and sanction the subvension of Rs 30,000/-

3 A copy of the Council resolution dated 24-3-1944 together with copies of the note placed before the Select Committee and the resolution of the Special Committee dated 8-11-1943 are herewith forwarded for favour of obtaining the orders of Government on the resolution of the Council

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Forwarded with compliments
Honorary President

Municipal Commissioner

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING OF COUNCIL DATED 24-3-1944

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19. Proceedings of the Special Committee dated 8-11-43 (re to water supply) that the office note in the matter of discontinuance of the subvension of Rs 30,000/- by Government to the Municipality for water supply charges, is convincing and may be accepted

Resolution - Vide typed copy enclosed for proceedings

Minutes of the proceedings of the Adjourned Meeting of the City Municipal Council, Bangalore, held on Friday, the 24th March 1944, at 3 P.M., in the Council Chambers of the City Municipal Offices, Bangalore.

Present -

Syed Ghouse Mohiyuddin, Esq.,
Honorary President.I/C

Messrs.

1. M. V. Veerappa.
2. G. R. Ethirajulu Naidu, B.A., B.L.,
3. Ramalal Thiwari.
4. C. Chenniah.
5. Singam Rangaswamappa.
6. S. Vasva Murthy, B.A.,
7. P. V. Ramachandra Gupta.
8. H. B. Shankarappa.
9. D. Venkataramanappa.
10. B. N. Gupta.
11. K. N. Ramaswamy, B.A.,

Messrs.

12. C. N. Narasinga Rao, B.A , B.L.,
13. P. R. Ramiah, B.Sc.,
14. M. A. Gopalaswamy Iyengar, M A.B.L.
15. M. K. Narayana Iyengar, B.A.,B L.,
16. Mrs. D arakabai Cadambi.
17. H. C. Suryanarayana Rao.
18. K. M. Naganna
19. K. Ambrosa Ananda, B.A., L.T.,
20. Mirsrilal Parasumul.
21. A. J. Khaleel, B.A.,B.L.,

Absent -

Messrs.

1. N. Keshava Iyengar, B.A., B.L.,
2. W. H. Hanumanthappa.
3. G. Naanjappa.
4. P. Shivashankar, B.A , LL.B ,
5. L. S. Raju, M A., (Hons), B.L.,
6. T. T. Sharma.
7. A. K. Jayamuthuraju.
8. Mirza M. Azizulla Beig.

Deferred Subject No.19

Mr. K.N.Ramaswami said that the Office Note was quite exhaustive and may be ~~xxxppx~~ accepted.

Mr. B N.Gupta next said that it was desirable that this subject should be taken up after the results of the Presidential elections were known and that it may be referred to the Managing Committee.

Mr. V.K Narayana Iyengar ~~xxxxxxxx~~ speaking next observed that the previous Council had referred the matter to a Special Committee and as it did not function, the Chairman had given an opinion which was his own, and that it was better the whole matter was discussed in detail before coming to a decision He also suggested that it may be referred to either a Special Committee or the Managing Committee.

Mr. H.C Suryanarayana Rao observed that the whole question had been thoroughly discussed by the previous Council and they had even gone in deputation to Government in this matter and Government was also convinced about the reasonableness of continuing the subvention. But since some of the Members wanted to discuss further, the subject may be deferred.

Mr C N Narasinga Rao said that the Office Note ~~xxx~~ had clearly pointed out the necessity for continuance of the subvention, that postponing the subject either by deferring or referring it to some Committee would only mean delay and the Government may say that their budget was already compiled, and so there was no need to put it off. They may straightaway accept the Office Note and make a detailed report to Government requesting them to continue the subvention.

Mr. K.N.Ramaswami seconded the above suggestion of Mr. C N.Narasinga Rao and Mr P R Ramaiah further supported it.

At this stage, Mr B N Gupta took back, with the permission of the House, his proposition to refer the matter to a Committee.

Mr. A.J.Khaleel further supporting Mr. C.N. Narasinga Rao said that it was very opportune for them to approch Government then as they were framing their wo budget and would make necessary provision for the purpose.

Mr. M K Narayana Iyengar said that he too was for the Office Note but what he was afraid of, was, whether the reasons now given would be convincing and make the Government reconsider their decision. So he wanted all the point to be thoroughly discussed and very convincing arguments put forth to Government.

Mr M.A.Gopalswami Iyengar said that this subject had been discussed very thoroughly on more than one occasion, that there would was no need to put it off and that they might re-affirm their previous resolution and request Government to reconsider their orders and grant the subv ntion.

Res - The Government may be requested to reconsider their order and sanction the subvention of Rs 30,000/- per year.

Sd//. S.Ghouse Mohiyuddin,
Honorary President in Charge.
24-3-1944.

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Municipal Commissioner

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Note regarding the continuance of the Government Grant of Rs.30,000/- towards water supply charges in the Bangalore City

The period of 5 years fixed for the payment of this subvension in Government Order No. L.1129-31/M1 : 260-32-13 dated 9-8-1933, having expired by the end of the year 1938-39, it was paid during the year 1939-40 as a special case and this payment has been discontinued from the year 1940-41 on the grounds that the income derived from sources 1 to 5 referred to in the said Government Order has increased, that the Municipal Council should pay out of its general funds the sum of Rs 75,000/- to cover up the amount referred to in items 6 and 7 of the said Government Order and that, as the total of the seven items as stated above, exceeds Rs 4 lakhs payable by the Municipality to Government, there was no justification for the continuance of the Government subvension of Rs 30.000/- referred to against item No 8 in the Government Order dated 9-8-1933

As things have considerably altered since the year 1933, it is reasonable to review the position with reference to the facts and figures, regarding income and expenditure relating to the water supply in the Bangalore City Based on the figures for the year 1941-42, the position will be as follows -

INCOME

1. Water rate	1,72,943
2 3 and 4 Excess water charges including the income derived from the sources 3 and 4 referred to in the G O dated 9-8-1933, as separate figures are not available under these heads	1,93,908
	3,66,851
5 Levy of water rate on the Government buildings (The amount due per annum under this head from the Public Works Department is Rs 16,542 This amount for the year 1941-42 has not yet been paid The matter is under correspondence	nil
Total	3,66,851

EXPENDITURE

1.	Cost of maintenance of Water Supply Works and distribution charges	4,00,000
2	Excess water charges paid to water Supply Division (Exclusing Rs 11,719/- paid towards arrears for the year 1940-41)	96,897
3	Excess Water charges collection establishment charges	9,563
4	Installation of water taps and sub-mains	15,117
	Total	5,21,577

The above figures indicate that the total expenditure amounted to Rs 5,21,577/- i e., Rs.1,54,726/- in excess of the receipts of Rs.3,66,851/- This sum of Rs.1,54,726/- has been paid out of the General Revenues of the Municipality against Rs 50,000/- contemplated in the Government Order dated - 9-8-1933 In these circumstances, there is every justification for the continuance of the Government subvension of Rs 30,000/- at least temporarily for a further period of 5 years when the matter may be reviewed again

MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER.

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Proceedings of the Special adjourned meeting (Water Supply) held on 8-11-1943 at 5 P.M. at the Municipal Offices, Bangalore

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2. Regarding discontinuance of subvension grant of Rs 30,000/- payable by Government to the Municipality for Water Supply Charges

Resolution - The office note is convincing and may be accepted

Sd H R. Guruv Reddy,

Chairman

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Municipal Commissioner

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Statement showing the details of receipts and expenditure towards water sypply charges in the Bangalore City Municipality during the year 1942-43

Receipts

			Demand	Collection
A	Water Tax	Arrears of previous years	1,53,205	61,589
		For 1942-43	1,92,370	1,29,479
		Total	3,45,575	1,91,068
B	Excess water charges including meter hire and the amount derived by reducing the minimum free allowance of water from 4000 to 300 gallons	Arrears of previous years	65,151	
		Current demand for 1942-43	2,64,792	2,67,244
			3,29,943	2,67,244
C	Water rate on Government buildings	For 41-42	16,542	16,542
		For 42-43	18,029	18,029
		Total	34,571	34,571
		Total Collection		4,92,883

Taking the demand for the year 1942-43 only, the total comes to Rs.4,75,191/- as noted hereunder

A	Rs.1,92,370
B	2,64,792
C	18,029
Total	Rs.4,75,191

Expenditure

Water Supply Works maintenance charges and Excess Water charges	Rs 5,34,738*
Collection Establishment charges	12,726'
Installation of sub mains and water taps	16,228
Total	Rs 5,63,692

Out of this Rs 1,34,887/- were paid in August 1943.

Out of this Rs 3,664/- were paid in August 1943

As may be seen from these figures, whether the demand under the concerned heads for the year 1942-43 or the collection under the concerned heads for the year 1942-43, is taken into consideration, the Municipality had to spend more than the receipts towards water revenue As such, the Government may be requested to continue the annual subvension of Rs 30,000/-

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SUBJECT

Section ml

File No 99-43

Serial No 200

Diary No of letter replied to

No L 12626

To

The ml Commr. Bcij thro' Pol

Sir,

With reference to your letter No A1 5988 dy 6.5.44 forwarding for orders of Govt a copy of the resolution of the mcl dated the 24th March 1944 requesting that the orders of Govt declining to grant a subvention of Rs 30,000/- annually to the cif mcl towards the water Supply Charges may be reconsidered, I am directed to state that

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 21/6

Signed by

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Govt see no reason to reconsider
I orders already passed in the matter.